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MEMORANDUM:

22 January 1951

TO : Finance Branch

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ATTN : [REDACTED]

FROM : Deputy Comptroller

SUBJECT: [REDACTED]

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REF : Memorandum from [REDACTED] to Special Contracting Officer re above subject. 25X1A

1. The commitments between this Agency and agents, including Career Agents are basically those set forth in the contract between the U. S. Government and the individuals. In certain instances the individual may be entitled to additional statutory benefits not provided for in the contract and possibly even denied by the terms of the contract.

2. It is my opinion, which perhaps should be confirmed by the Office of the General Counsel, that an Agency regulation limiting or prohibiting commitments previously entered upon has no effect upon such prior commitments during the term of the contract. Accordingly contractual commitments properly incurred prior to the restricting regulation referred to in your memorandum are not believed to be altered by such regulations.

3. There would appear, however, to be the necessity to renegotiate the contract in accordance with the terms of the new regulation at the expiration or renewal date of the contract unless the ADSO specifically authorizes a rate other than that prescribed in the regulation.

4. Since it is obvious equity to reimburse individuals for all actual, necessary expenses reasonably incurred in conjunction with official business, it is assumed the ADSO will authorize a greater mileage rate if and when warranted.

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Special Contracting Officer

cc: Staff D, OGO

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